Laptop Scholarship Application Form

MTS can help set you on the road to college with a new laptop!

Forty students in the San Diego region will be selected as winners of the annual High School Laptop Scholarship Contest this spring.

High School Seniors:

MTS partners with local colleges and universities to offer discounted passes to students.

Write a 1,000 word persuasive essay, targeting college students, on the benefits of taking transit to and from class, or using MTS services to get around San Diego.

(Quantify your arguments when possible.)

Early Application Deadline:
5 p.m., Friday, March 27, 2015

Final Deadline:
5 p.m., Friday, April 10, 2015

Apply by the early application deadline and you could win great prizes:

$100 Best Buy gift card (five winners)
$10 iTunes gift card (20 winners)
MTS ear buds (all applicants)

Official Rules

1. Entrants must reside in San Diego County, be in 12th grade, be enrolled in a San Diego County high school and graduating in Spring 2015.
2. Essay must be at least 1,000 words and typed in 12-point type.
3. One entry per student.
4. Entries must be the sole work of the entrant. A student's signature on the application form is required for verification.
5. Essays must be accompanied by a completed application form. Forms are available at:
   - The Transit Store, 102 Broadway at First Ave., San Diego, CA 92101
   - Online at: **www.sdmts.com** and **www.sdcoe.net**
6. Entries can be submitted via email to **scholarship@sdmts.com** or mailed or delivered to the address below by April 10, 2015. Mailed entries must be postmarked by April 10, 2015.

   MTS Scholarship
   1255 Imperial Ave., Suite 1000
   San Diego, CA 92101-7490
7. The 40 high school students with the best judged essays will win a laptop.
8. Finalists notified by May 6, 2015. Decisions of the judges are final.
9. Entries will not be returned to entrants.

Application Form

(Please print and fill out completely and clearly. Attach with your essay.)

Student Name: _____
First Last

High School Name: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

I certify that this is my original work. Student Signature: _____

I authorize MTS to release my name, school and essay if I am selected as a scholarship winner. My contact information may be given to MTS Board Members or local, state or federal elected officials, so that I may receive individual recognition for my achievements."

Yes ☐ _____(initial)